

BANGALORE, THURSDAY, MAY 19, 1898.

# PART IV. OFFICIAL PAPERS.

Season Report for the Week ending Saturday the 14th May 1898.

| Rainfall at—                  | Rainfall.     |   |     |  |    |   |    |    | Price of food grains in seers per rupee; and market fluctuations in the prices of food grains. | Market how supplied.                | Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable out-turn of the harvest, serious damage done to crops by insects, or other natural calamities. | Prospects of season; trusts in which the rainfall has been insufficient; areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks. | Public health.  | Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage or fodder. |  |
|-------------------------------|---------------|---|-----|--|----|---|----|----|--|-------------------------------------|---|---|-----------------|--|--|
|                               | Present week. | Average for corresponding week of the past three years. |     | Total from the beginning of the present calendar year. |    | Average for the past three years up to end of present week. |    |    |  |                                     |   |   |                 |  |  |
|                               |               | I.  | a.  | I.   | a. | I.  | a. | I. | a.   | This week. Past week. Seers. Seers. |   |   |                 |  |  |
| re ... Bangalore C. & M. Str. | ...           | ...   | ... | 2  | 20 | 1   | 88 | 3  | 59   |                                     |   |   |                 |  |  |
| " City & Tk.                  | ...           | ...   | ... | 1  | 31 | 1   | 41 | 3  | 7  | Rice 7 6½                           | Well. Standing crops are reported to be generally in good condition. Sugar-cane was sown  | Fair.   | Good.           | Cattle healthy. Water and fodder procurable.                                       |  |
| Hoskote                       | ...           | ...   | ... | ...  | 74 | 3   | 3  | 2  | 39   | Ragi 18 18                          | Vainakhi paddy and sugar-cane were harvested.   |   |                 |  |  |
| Dodballapur                   | ...           | ...   | ... | 1  | 6  | 5   | 65 | 2  | 75   | (Eleusine corocana.)                |   |   |                 |  |  |
| Nelamangala                   | ...           | ...   | ... | 1  | 63 | 4   | 41 | 3  | 28   | Horse-                              |   |   |                 |  |  |
| Kankachalli                   | ...           | ...   | ... | 1  | 52 | 6   | 33 | 3  | 45   | gram 11½ 12.                        |   |   |                 |  |  |
| Magadi                        | ...           | ...   | ... | 1  | 11 | 3   | 20 | 4  | 28   | (Cicer arietinum.)                  |   |   |                 |  |  |
| Channarayana                  | ...           | ...   | ... | ...  | 72 | 5   | 3  | 4  | 37   |                                     |   |   |                 |  |  |
| Ankal                         | ...           | ...   | ... | 1  | 14 | 2   | 60 | 8  | 7  |                                     |   |   |                 |  |  |
| Devanahalli                   | ...           | ...   | ... | 1  | 18 | 2   | 74 | 3  | 8  |                                     |   |   |                 |  |  |
| Closspet                      | ...           | ...   | 82  | ...  | 89 | 2   | 88 | 3  | 42   |                                     |   |   |                 |  |  |
| ... Kolar                     | ...           | ...   | 31  | 1  | 16 | 5   | 15 | 2  | 14   | Rice 7 to 9 7 to 8½                 | Well. Standing crops are reported to be in a fair condition. Sugar-cane and turmeric were sown in parts. Paddy was harvested in some places.  | Generally good.   | Generally good. | Water and fodder available.  |  |
| Bowringpet                    | ...           | ...   | ... | ...  | 55 | 6   | 36 | 1  | 32   | Ragi 19 to 24 19 to 24.             |   |   |                 |  |  |
| Chintamani                    | ...           | ...   | ... | ...  | 55 | 1   | 71 | 1  | 64   | (Eleusine corocana.)                |   |   |                 |  |  |
| Mulbagal                      | ...           | ...   | ... | ...  | 54 | 4   | 13 | 1  | 97   | Horse-                              |   |   |                 |  |  |
| Sidlaghatta                   | ...           | ...   | ... | ...  | 82 | 1   | 51 | 2  | 77   | gram 10½ to 13 11 to 13.            |   |   |                 |  |  |
| Chikballapur                  | ...           | *   | *   | 1  | 26 | *   | *  | 2  | 63   | (Cicer arietinum.)                  |   |   |                 |  |  |
| Dagepalli                     | ...           | ...   | ... | ...  | 72 | ...   | 51 | 1  | 79   |                                     |   |   |                 |  |  |
| Goribidnur                    | ...           | ...   | ... | ...  | 73 | 8   | 61 | 1  | 38   |                                     |   |   |                 |  |  |
| Malur                         | ...           | ...   | ... | ...  | 43 | 6   | 85 | 1  | 99   |                                     |   |   |                 |  |  |
| Srinivasapur                  | ...           | *   | *   | ...  | 44 | *   | *  | 2  | 35   |                                     |   |   |                 |  |  |
| Gudibanda                     | ...           | ...   | ... | 1  | 27 | 1   | 35 | 3  | 10   |                                     |   |   |                 |  |  |
| ... Tumkur                    | ...           | ...   | ... | 1  | 7  | 5   | 33 | 3  | 89   | Rice 6½ to 9½ 6½ to 9.              | Well. Standing crops are in good condition. Paddy is harvested in some places.  | Good.   | Good.           | Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available.  |  |
| Maddur                        | ...           | ...   | ... | ...  | 55 | 1   | 32 | 1  | 81   | Ragi 18 to 20 18 to 28.             |   |   |                 |  |  |
| Chiknayakanhalli.             | ...           | ...   | ... | ...  | 41 | 4   | 45 | 3  | 71   | (Eleusine corocana.)                |   |   |                 |  |  |
| ...                           | ...           | ...   | ... | ...  | 70 | 3   | 25 | 4  | 17   | Horse-                              |   |   |                 |  |  |



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